STATE OF IOWA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:

CRYSTAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC., d/b/a HICKORYTECH

DOCKET NO. SPU-00-12

AMENDED CERTIFICATE NO. 0187

CERTIFICATE

(Issued September 18, 2000)

On June 30, 2000, Crystal Communications, Inc.(Crystal), d/b/a HickoryTech (HickoryTech), filed an application for an amendment of a certificate of public convenience and necessity, pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29 (1999), to reflect the new business name of HickoryTech. Crystal states the change in the business name will not affect the service it provides to its customers or its service territory.

The Utilities Board (Board) issued an order concurrently with the issuance of this amendment approving the name change and authorizing HickoryTech to adopt the existing tariffs of Crystal Communications, Inc.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

This certificate of public convenience and necessity, issued pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29(1) (1999), which authorizes Crystal Communications, Inc., to furnish

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local telephone service in the exchange as shown by the adopted tariffs of Crystal Communications, Inc., is amended to reflect the new business name of HickoryTech.

UTILITIES BOARD

	/s/ Allan T. Thoms
ATTEST:	/s/ Susan J. Frye
/s/ Raymond K. Vawter, Jr. Executive Secretary	/s/ Diane Munns

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 18th day of September, 2000.